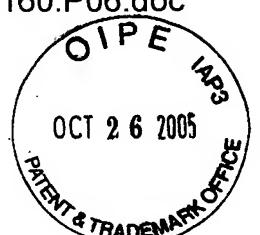
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement and Amendment Under 37C.F.R. § 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously

filed statement. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

X No additional fee is required.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2005, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-17 and Species I, figures 2A-2L, without traverse. Claims 1-17 read on Species I. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A listing of claims is set forth on pages 2-5.

Remarks begin on page 6.

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 09-0458.